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1. On the evening of 31 December, 3,000 Chinese Communist troops were concentrated at Sinnung-ni (unlocated, approximately 126-35, 38-44) and south of Kaesong, while moving in the direction of Munsan (126-48, 37-52), with approximately 45 horse- and ox-carts carrying 20 mortars (undetermined caliber). The troops were equipped with rifles and one grenade each.
2. Early in the morning of 1 January six field artillery pieces (undetermined caliber) were firing from a plateau three kilometers southeast of Tongchang (unlocated) and southwest of Changdan (126-44, 37-55).
3. On the evening of 2 January one regiment of North Korean troops and 1,500 Chinese Communist troops crossed the Injin River at Wolan-ni ferry (unlocated, approximately 126-54, 37-50), southwest of Tongchang, to Kum-ni (126-42, 37-49).
4. On the morning of 3 January, 55 Chinese Communist troops and two tanks were in front of the Paju (126-50, 37-50) police station. During the evening 40,000 Chinese Communist troops were concentrated near the village Pongilchon-ni (126-48, 37-44), south of Paju, and those troops dispersed into the mountains for an advance beginning at 10 p.m. An hour later four North Korean tanks and a small number of North Korean troops moved south through Pongilchon-ni.

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